SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 44

By Massey

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend the 2012 Fulton High School football team for winning the TSSAA Division I, Class 4A BlueCross Bowl championship.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should salute those student athletes who, through their extraordinary efforts, have distinguished themselves as true sportsmen of whom all can be proud; and

WHEREAS, the members of the 2012 Fulton High School football team have proven themselves to be the ablest of competitors and, as such, deserving of the highest regard; and

WHEREAS, under the astute leadership of Coach Rob Black, the 2012 team propelled itself to a 13-2 record in the regular season and reached the TSSAA Division I, Class 4A BlueCross Bowl, where they faced the Covington High School team (14-1) on the field at Tennessee Tech University on December 1; and

WHEREAS, the Falcons dominated the Covington team, capping an already-stellar season with a 39-14 win and securing the state championship; and

WHEREAS, the Fulton Falcons football team, in both victory and defeat, has displayed the tenacity, camaraderie and skill befitting one of the State's finest athletic teams; and

WHEREAS, this General Assembly finds it appropriate to pause in its deliberations to acknowledge and applaud the 2012 Fulton High School football team, not only for the team's championship win but for the players' superior sportsmanship and the joy they have brought to their fellow students and the people of Tennessee; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH GENERAL

ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and congratulate the 2012 Fulton High School football

team for its heralded success on the football gridiron and extend to its members our best wishes for every continued success in their future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.